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**CARRIZO GORGE WILDERNESS**

**14,722 Acres**

***Designated October 31, 1994 by the California Desert Protection Act,  
Public Law 103-433***

This is the final legal description as required in Section 103(b) of the above mentioned Act. It describes the boundary for the Carrizo Gorge Wilderness Area located in San Diego County, California and managed by the Bureau of Land Management. The boundary is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the corner of sections 25, 30, 31, and 36, Township 15 South, Ranges 6 and 7 East, San Bernardino Meridian, and identical to the intersection of the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, this point being the point of beginning;

thence easterly, between sections 30 and 31, 29 and 32, 28 and 33, sections 27 and 34, and 26 and 35, along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary to point 1, the corner of sections 25, 26, 35, and 36;

thence southerly, between sections 35 and 36 along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary to point 2, the corner common to sections 35, 36, and 1 and 2, on the township line between Townships 15 and 16 South, Range 7 East;

thence southerly, between sections 1 and 2, 11 and 12, 13 and 14, 23 and 24, 25 and 26, 35 and 36, Township 16 South, Range 7 East, along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, to point 3, the corner of sections 35 and 36 only, on the township line between Ts. 16 and 17 S., R. 7 E. only;

thence easterly, on said township line between sections 1 and 36, along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, to point 4, the corner of sections 1 and 6 only, Township 17 South, Ranges 7 and 8 East;

thence southerly on said range line, between sections 1 and 6, 7 and 12, 13 and 18, and 19 and 24, along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, to point 5, the corner of sections 19, 24, 25, and 30;

thence westerly leaving the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, between sections 24 and 25 to point 6, the corner of sections 23, 24, 25, and 26, T. 17 S., R. 7 E.;

thence southerly, between sections 25 and 26 to point 7, the intersection with a line parallel with and 300 feet northerly of the centerline of the west bound lanes of Interstate Route 8;

thence westerly, parallel with and 300 feet northerly of said centerline to point 8, the intersection with the section line between sections 26 and 27;

thence northerly, between sections 26 and 27 to point 9, the corner of sections 22, 23, 26, and 27;

thence easterly, between sections 23 and 26 to point 10, the west 1/16 corner of sections 23 and 26;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of the southwest 1/4 of section 23 to point 11, the southwest 1/16 corner of section 23;

thence easterly, along the east/west centerline of the southwest 1/4 and along the east/west centerline of the southeast 1/4 of section 23 to point 12, the southeast 1/16 corner of section 23;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of the southeast 1/4 of section 23 to point 13, the center east 1/16 corner of section 23;

thence westerly, on the east/west centerline of section 23 to point 14, the center 1/4 corner of section 23;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of section 23 to point 15, a point East of a hill, said hill having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°40'38" N. latitude, 116°14'05" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Jacumba, Calif.", 1959, photorevised 1975;

thence West to point 16, said hill;

thence northeasterly, to point 17, a hill having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°41'16" N. latitude, 116°13'56" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Jacumba, Calif.", 1959, photorevised 1975;

thence northeasterly, to point 18, Mt. Tule, having an elevation of 4647 feet, as shown on the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Jacumba, Calif.", 1959, photorevised 1975;

thence northerly to point 19, the southeast 1/16 corner of section 2;

thence northwesterly to point 20, the center-north 1/16 corner of section 2;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of section 2, to point 21, the 1/4 corner of section 2, on the township line between Townships 16 and 17 South, Range 7 East;

thence northeasterly to point 22, a saddle having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°44'08" N. latitude, 116°13'40" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Jacumba, Calif.", 1959, photorevised 1975;

thence northwesterly to point 23, a junction of washes having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°44'22" N. latitude, 116°14'02" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Jacumba, Calif.", 1959, photorevised 1975;

thence northerly, to point 24, a hill having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°45'02" N. latitude, 116°14'06" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Sweeney Pass, Calif.", 1959;

thence northerly, to point 25, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates of 32°45'42" N. latitude, 116°14'09" W. longitude, as scaled from the U.S.G.S. 7 ½ minute Quadrangle "Sweeney Pass, Calif.", 1959;

thence northerly, to point 26, the corner of sections 14, 15, 22, and 23, Township 16 South, Range 7 East;

thence westerly, between sections 15 and 22 to point 27, the 1/4 corner of sections 15 and 22;

thence northwesterly to point 28, the 1/4 corner of sections 15 and 16;

thence northerly, between sections 15 and 16 to point 29, the corner of sections 9, 10, 15, and 16;

thence northwesterly, to point 30, the 1/4 corner of sections 8 and 9;

thence northwesterly, to point 31, the northeast 1/16 corner of section 8;

thence westerly, on the east/west centerline of the northeast 1/4 of section 8 to point 32, the center north 1/16 corner of section 8;

thence westerly, on the east/west centerline of the NW 1/4 of section 8 to point 33, the north 1/16 corner of sections 7 and 8;

thence westerly, on the east/west centerline of the NE 1/4 of section 7 to point 34, the NE 1/16 corner of section 7;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of the northeast 1/4 of section 7 to point 35, the east 1/16 corner of sections 6 and 7;

thence westerly, between sections 6 and 7 to point 36, the 1/4 corner of sections 6 and 7;

thence northerly, on the north/south centerline of section 6 to point 37, the 1/4 corner of sections 6 and 31, on the township line between Townships 15 and 16 South, Range 7 East;

thence northwesterly, to point 38, the 1/4 corner of sections 31 and 36, on the range line between Township 15 South, Ranges 6 and 7 East, said point identical to the intersection of the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary;

thence northerly, between sections 31 and 36 along the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park boundary, to the point of beginning.

END OF DESCRIPTION

The above description containing approximately 14,722 acres utilizes the Jacumba, Sombrero Peak, and Sweeney Pass 7.5 minute quadrangle maps prepared by the USGS. The boundary calls listed herein are in part a result of scaling distances from said quad maps and are not a result of survey. All courses have been depicted upon the above mentioned quad maps and are made a part of this official record. Acreage is calculated from the CASO ArcInfo wilderness coverage.

I hereby certify the legal description and map herewith represent the location of the boundary of the Carrizo Gorge Wilderness area designated by the California Desert Protection Act, Public Law 103-433, dated October 31, 1994.

Signed:

Al Wright  
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Acting State Director, California

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